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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the following paragraphs as indicated:

[0005] The pool cover system 10 shown in Figures 1 and 2 is referred to as a right-hand system, since the pool cover motor is located on the right side in the pool cover box. Sometimes the layout of the pool and its surroundings dictate that the pool cover motor be located on the left-hand side of the pool cover box (not shown), referred to as a left-hand system, since the pool cover motor 30 is situated on the left side of the pool cover box. A left-hand system has the same components as the right-hand system shown in Figure 2, arranged in a mirror-image from that shown in Figure 2.

[0035] It should be noted that the right-handed pool cover assembly 50 shown in Figures 3-8 may be readily switched to a left-handed pool cover assembly, as needed, using the same components described above, but flipped in a mirror image of the assembly shown in the Figures.